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TO: Interested Individuals and Organizations

FROM: Suzanne Rios, Administrator

Curriculum Frameworks and Instructional Resources Division

SUBJECT: In-Cycle Legal and Social Compliance Review of Instructional

Resources Submitted for State Adoption

The California Department of Education, Curriculum Frameworks and Instructional Resources Division (CFIR) is recruiting volunteers to participate in the Legal and Social Compliance Review process for instructional materials to be considered for the 2001 Math adoption. All instructional materials submitted for consideration of adoption in any subject area must comply with Education Codes 60040-60045, 60048 and the State Board policy outlined in the *Standards for Evaluation of Instructional Materials with Respect to Social Content*. The purpose of the Legal and Social Compliance Review is to ensure that instructional materials meet the standards outlined in this document. Some of the standards address the accurate portrayal of cultural and racial diversity and equitable and positive roles for males, female, disabled people, ethnic and cultural groups, and the elderly. We are hoping to recruit members from the community, community organizations and parents to be reviewers.

Because the Legal and Social Compliance Review process focuses on the social content of instructional materials, it is <u>not</u> necessary for reviewers to have a strong academic background. The Legal and Social Compliance Review for instructional materials being submitted for the 2001 Math adoption is currently scheduled for the weekend of **September 8-10, 2000**. If you are interested in participating in the math review or know of someone who may be interested, please have the enclosed application completed and mailed to the address indicated on the form. Please feel free to make copies of the application as needed. **The application deadline is July 15, 2000.** The application can also be accessed on the Internet at the following web address: http://www.cde.ca.gov/cilbranch/eltdiv/cdsmc.htm.

Your participation in this review process is needed and appreciated. **Applicants who are selected will be notified in August 2000**. All reviewers will be trained in the process and will be reimbursed for any travel and hotel/per diem expenses incurred from their participation in the training and review. Information regarding the time and place of the training will follow. It is anticipated that we will need approximately 30 volunteers for this review. Please feel free to contact **Miguel Cordova at**

(916) 657-3445 with any questions regarding the notification and selection process.

Thank you for your willingness to help provide the children of California with the best instructional materials possible.

APPLICATION

Legal and Social Compliance Review Committee Member 2001 Math Adoption

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	Filipino		Over 50 years	
	Latino			
	Mexican/Mexican American/Chicano			
	Native American/American Indi	an		
	Pacific Islander			
	White		Disability	
	Other		Specify:	

Please return this form by July 15, 2000 to the following address:

California Department of Education Curriculum Frameworks and Instructional Resources Division 721 Capitol Mall, 3rd Floor Sacramento, CA 95814Attn: Miguel Cordova

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